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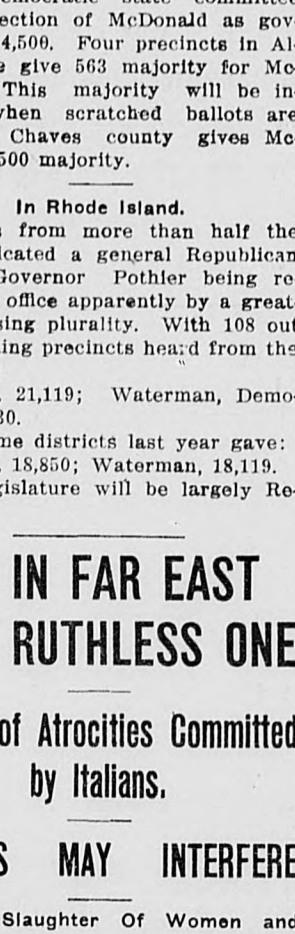
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MADERO INSTALLED PRESIDENT MEXICO

In Place Filled by Diaz For 30 Years.

HIS CABINET PERSONNEL

This Marks the Culmination Of the Revolution Which Drove Diaz Into Exile After a Reign of Three Decades.

Officially the periods of revolution in Mexico were closed Monday when Francisco I. Madero took the oath of president and placed across his breast the tri-color band, insignia of the executive, thus marking the culmination of the revolution that drove Diaz into exile after he had ruled more than 30 years. Monday afternoon the oath was administered to the eight members of his cabinet. At the same time Francisco Leon de la Barra, who has governed the country as provisional president since the day General Diaz left the capital for Europe, boarded a special train for Vera Cruz, from where, he, too, will sail for Europe, but on a diplomatic mission.

The Madero Cabinet. The personnel of the cabinet with which President Madero begins his administration follows:

Foreign relations—Manuel Calero. Interior—Abram Gonzalez. Justice—Manuel Vasquez Tagle. Education—Miguel Diaz Lombardo. Communications—Manuel Bonilla. Finance—Ernesto Madero. War—General Jose Gonzalez Salas. Pomono—Rafael Hernandez.

Upon the return of de la Barra from Italy, which will not be for some months, it is expected he will take the portfolio of the foreign office, Calero going as ambassador to Washington.

SINKS TURKISH BOAT.

Arabian Town Is Bomarded. Extent of Damage Not Yet Known.

An Italian cruiser, bombarded the town of Akabah (Arabia) on Sunday, sinking the Turkish gun boat Italdi, which was lying in port. The second officer of the gun boat was killed, but the others on board escaped. Subsequently the cruiser shelled the holy portion of the town. The extent of the damage is not stated.

The recent news of the re-capture of Derna, Tripoli, by the Turks purports to come from Enver Pasha and the Sheikh of the Senusite tribesmen.

The town named in the foregoing dispatch evidently is Akabah, a fortified village on the east side of the Gulf of Akabah, near its northern extremity.

The significance of the dispatch is that it indicates the Italians, meeting with unexpected opposition in Tripoli, have carried out their threat to attack the enemy from the Red sea.

The activity of the English splinter in acquiring considerable tracts of land in the Mississippi delta upon which to grow their own cotton, evidently has stirred the Fall river splinters and a deal is on in which Governor Brewer figures largely as promoter, for the sale of some of the best known plantations in the delta, being located mainly in continuous territory and in the northern part of Yazoo county.

Mrs. Gerald Fitzgerald, daughter of Mrs. L. J. Nicholls, of Uniontown, Pa., was married at the home of her mother to Prince Victor, of Thurn and Taxis. The prince and princess will reside in Europe. Prince Victor, of Thurn and Taxis, is a son of the late Prince and Princess Egon.

It is not believed these atrocities have been committed with the knowledge of the Italian government, and it is believed prompt measures will be taken at Rome to stop them.

Further dispatches from Tripoli by way of Malta confirm the allegations that women and children were butchered by the Italian soldiers. European eye-witnesses have protested to their consulates.

Twenty Italian soldiers, says a dispatch, died of cholera on Thursday.

FIFTY HURLED TO DOOM.

Two Hundred Men Working On Bridge When Span Falls.

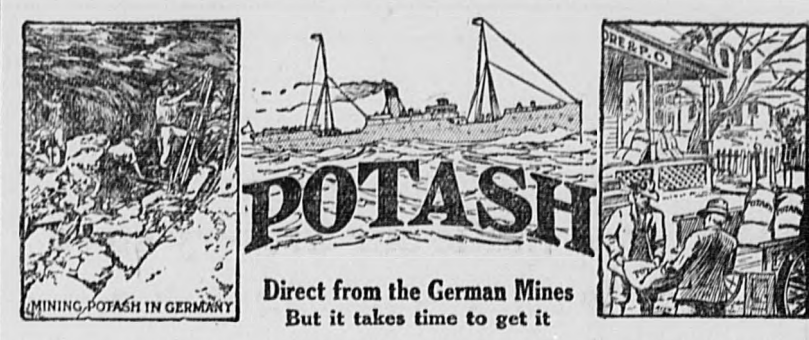
As a result of the collapse, says a Sacramento Cal. dispatch, of a pier in process of construction across the American river, 4 miles from the town of Auburn, seventeen workmen are reported to have lost their lives, and many others to have been injured.

Fifty men are supposed to have been carried down by the toppling pier.

The bridge, which is the scene of the catastrophe, was one of the largest in the state.

It was intended to span the American river at a height of 80 feet. When the center span, unsupported by the concrete pillars, which are at either end of the bridge, gave way, the workmen were precipitated a sheer 40 feet into the waters of the American river. There were 200 men at work on the bridge when the accident occurred.

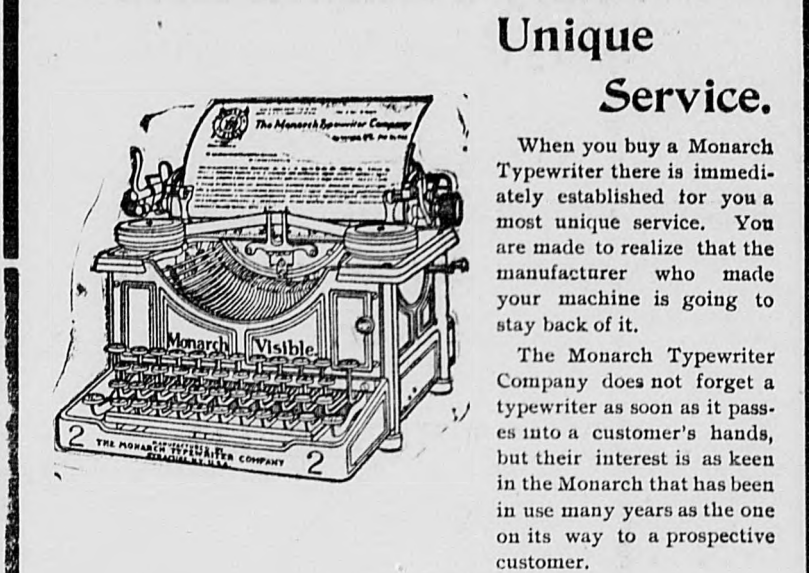
Fire in the business section of London, Ont., caused a loss of \$750,000 and destroyed 500 persons of employment.



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Tax Notice.

Tax Collector's and Assessor's Appointments.

Pursuant to the law as found in Act approved March 5, 1901, page 2580, Acts 1900-1, we will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes for the County of Coffee and State of Alabama, to-wit:

Second Round. At Victoria, Saturday November 19.

At Enterprise, four days beginning Wednesday, November 22, and ending the following Saturday.

Third Round. At Victoria, Monday December 4th.

At Enterprise, four days beginning Wednesday, December 13, and ending the following Saturday.

On all other legal business days from October 1st, to December 31, we will be at our offices in the court house at Elba for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes.

Taxes Fall Due on October 1st, and become delinquent after Dec. 31, after which interest and costs accrue.

Property should be listed for assessment between October 1st and February 1st. Property should be listed for assessment between October 1st and January 1, after which date costs accrue. Come yourself to list your property for assessment, unless tax payer is woman or disabled.

Tax payers are urged to meet as early as practicable, for paying taxes and assessing taxes.

J M Folsom, Tax Collector, Jack D Lee, Tax Assessor.

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BOWMAN DEMANDS GOV. O'NEAL'S IMPEACHMENT.

Says He Is Corruptionist. And Guilty of Intemperance and Neglect of Duty.

Birmingham, Nov. 16.—Before one of the largest crowds that ever filled the Jefferson Theater, of this city, Peyton G. Bowman, recently tax commissioner of Jefferson County, last night caustically arraigned the governor of Alabama. He spoke on the subject "Emmett O'Neal: Who He is, and What He is," and answered by calling him "a corruptionist" and "the most consummate ingrate of the country, a man who returns favors with treachery."

At the close of his speech, which went into minute details the discharged tax commissioner of Jefferson County challenged the governor to call an extraordinary session of the Alabama Legislature in order, he said, that he might "properly prepare and present to the House of Representatives, for its consideration, articles of impeachment to the end that I might charge: (1) Intemperance use of intoxicating liquors; (2) Wilful neglect of duty; (3) You have been guilty of various and sundry corrupt practices; (4) That by your intemperate habits, your neglect of duty and corrupt practices you have disgraced the high office to which you were elected, and you should be impeached and removed from office."

The speech was advertised to be delivered more than a week ago the result being that there was a maddening crush at the theater doors to obtain even standing room.

Every Inch Standing Room Taken. Before the lights were turned on in the theater the crowd had begun to assemble and by the time the speaking commenced every seat in the theater was filled and every inch of available standing room was taken. Hundreds were turned away before the speaking began.

Among those seated on the stage were: Dr. B. F. Biley, Dr. G. R. Crowe, State Senator Robert L. Mouthrop, C. K. Austin, A. A. Gambill, John McQueen, D. C. Monasco, W. J. Lasseter, Paul Bowman, Harry C. Miller, J. W. McQueen, John Vincent, C. C. Crow, Mr. Fant of Blue Creek, Dr. Head of Blue Creek, Representative A. P. Fuquay, Judge N. B. Fagin, Judge W. W. Haralson, of Fort Payne, W. S. Woodruff, John G. Cook, Walter Shaffer.

A band of music was in attendance and prior to the speaking rendered a number of selections which included "A Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," a selection which elicited laughter and applause from the audience.

Promptly at 7:30 o'clock the curtain rose as the band played "Dixie." Quite an outburst of applause greeted those on the stage.

Congressman M. W. Howard made a short address previous to introducing the speaker and asked for a fair and impartial hearing and invited anyone to leave the house who did not want to give the speaker respectful attention.

Mr. Howard referred to the greatness and seriousness of the occasion, saying he did not anticipate any disorder.

He spoke of the power of the governor in removing officials and said that it was dangerous to put that much power in one man. He said the submitting of the constitutional amendment was the

greatest mistake the prohibitionists ever made. He spoke in favor of the initiative referendum and recall, but said the governor had misused the latter by recalling an honorable citizen of Jefferson County. He introduced Col. P. G. Bowman as "Emmett O'Neal: Who He is, and What He is," and answered by calling him "a corruptionist" and "the most consummate ingrate of the country, a man who returns favors with treachery."

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Coleman.

Wednesday afternoon, to the surprise of Elbians, Mr. Lawrence Ham procured from the Probate office a marriage license, hired an automobile and he and Miss Mary Coleman quickly sped away to New Brooklyn where they were happily joined in matrimony. Honorable W. D. Dawkins performed the marriage ceremony.

Mr. Ham is a son of Judge J. N. Ham, of Enterprise, and a young man of excellent character, and capable and industrious in business matters. For some time he has been engaged in the Abstract and Loan business at Elba. He has many friends and relatives who wish for him much happiness in his married life.

Miss Coleman is a resident of Fort Gaines, Ga., and has been visiting relatives and friends in Elba for several days. She is a highly accomplished and excellent young lady.

The Clipper wishes for these young people a prosperous and happy married life.

To Close Thanksgiving. Elba, Ala., Nov. 15th, 1911. Thursday Nov. 30th, being a National Holiday we agree that our respective places of business shall be closed during the entire day of that date.

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Town Tax Notice.

To whom it may concern: Notice is hereby given, that the tax assessment for the Town of Elba, Ala., for the tax year of 1911 has been completed and has been returned to the Town Council, and that Wednesday, the 29th day of November, 1911, at 7 o'clock P. M., has been set as the time for hearing objections to the assessment and for the Council to make corrections therein and determine the assessment, and the Town Council will meet in the Council Chamber at said time for said purpose.

Done by order of the Council on this the 15th day of November, 1911. M. S. Carmichael, Mayor of Elba, Ala.

Local Option Election In Pike.

Troy, Nov. 14.—Probate Judge A. C. Edmonson, after having reviewed the petition and ascertained that there was a sufficient number of qualified signers, has ordered the election to be held on Thursday, December twenty-first, just four days before Christmas, and notice of the election is now being advertised.

Opinions vary as to the result of the election, many believe the county will be dry, others think it will go wet but with dispensaries, while others think saloons will be established, several here and one each in Banks, Brundidge and Goshen.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that Sim Goines as guardian of Leve Goines, and Leve Goines have this day made application to have her disabilities of non-age removed, and to be enabled to contract, and to be contracted with, to buy and sell real estate, and to transact all business as if she were twenty-one years of age.

Done in office at Enterprise November 6, 1911. M. A. Owen, Register.

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ELBA, ALA., NOV. 17, 1911.

It is beginning to look like
every body is going to run at large
for Congress.

Gov. Hoke Smith has finally
resigned as Governor to take up
his duties as United States Sena-
tor.

The political pot is beginning to
boil here in Coffee. It is getting
time to begin announcements.

Under the new primary law,
poor men can run for office as well
as those having money. The ex-
penses will be paid like general
elections—out of county treasury.

Test Liquor Law Now Probability.

Birmingham Ledger.

It is rumored that proceedings
will be instituted in a few days in
the Birmingham court to test the
constitutionality of the Smith
Liquor Regulation law, along the
lines as set forth in the petition
filed by Gaston and Pettus in the
Four Oaks Distilling company and
there was much activity com-
mission was enjoined from revok-
ing the license of the Four Oaks
company.

It is understood that over a
week ago the Four Oaks company
charged hands and that the con-
cern is now operated by a differ-
ent concern that owned it when
its license was revoked on the al-
legations that sales were being
made to blind tiger operators.

Thrown into Panic.

It is reported that the liquor
dealers of the state were thrown
into a panic by the issuance of
the injunction restraining the
excise commission from revoking
the license of the Four Oaks com-
pany there was much activity
among the liquor people, and
Saturday no surprise was occasioned
when the suit was withdrawn.

Judge Gaston, senior member
of the firm of Gaston and Pettus,
declined to comment on the with-
drawal of the suit other than to
say that his firm was instructed
by their clients to withdraw the
suit.

It is the opinion of good legal
authority that the grounds on
which the Smith law was attacked
will be sustained by the courts.

Awaken Activity.

The people of these United
States do not need education as
to the benefits of highly improved
roads throughout the land.

They know the benefits of good
roads and the terrific cost of bad
roads.

They stand ready, willing, wait-
ing to vote to tax themselves just-
ly to build roads.

They rebel at paying all the
cost to make roads to benefit the
whole country.

They are waiting for a construc-
tive policy of general good, to be
paid for by the general public,
including themselves.

They are willing to pay their
part of the cost; but, do not in-
tend to pay all the cost.

The same idea of excessive local
taxation for the general good, led
to the Stamp Incident in Charle-
ston Harbor and the Tea Incident
in Boston Harbor.

Road improvement is a matter
of investment, not a matter of
local taxation.

Road improvement is a Federal
proposition, not a precinct idea.
Such was the intention of the
Fathers of the Republic.

Equal Taxation, Equal Repre-
sentation.

This Washing'on Convention
was called to get action.

Activity, not education, is
needed.

Supply the voter with news to
awaken activity.

Present a plan based on equity.

The rest will be done quickly.

Cotton Seed And The Pro-
ducer.

According to Government statis-
tics the seed of a 12,000,000 bale
cotton crop is worth nearly \$100,
000,000. This change in value is
marvelous, and naturally it came
slowly. In the old days cotton
seed was regarded as a cumbe-
some nuisance by the planter.

They were fed to milk cows and
beef cattle, perhaps, but more
often were dumped into the
branch below the house so they
would be carried away by the drift
of the waters without any expend-
iture of energy upon the part of
the farmer. Making the nearby
stream the farm-house scavenger
served to simplify matters. Later
we used the raw seed to fertilize
the coming crop and sugar cane
patch.

But as we age, we grow, men-
tally and otherwise. We have
learned that the lint from a crop
is only a part of the commodity
realized after a year's toil in the
cotton fields. As we learn more,
so will the idea establish itself
that the lint is of less value than
the seed from which it is ginned.

The time will come when our soil
will be fed principally with the
bi-products of cotton seed; our
cattle will be fattened and in-
vigorated by the same product, and
we ourselves will be eating as a
staple food the various delicious
articles that are made from cot-
ton-seed meal. Don't believe? We
well you don't know what you
are talking about. Cotton-seed
bread is good, light healthful and
nutritious even if the loaf does
look as if it had been soaked in
blueing. Those Texas people
have already begun to eat the
stuff. And we haven't consid-
ered yet the great value of cotton-
seed oil which is eagerly sought
here and abroad.

It is easy to see from these
state-ments where the cotton
farmer should come nearer into
his own. He should sell his cot-
ton-seed then try them again,
profiting by each trade.

It has been established by sat-
isfactory experiments that cot-
ton-seed oil has no fertilizer value;
that the meal is even better as a
fertilizer after the kernel from
which the oil is made has been re-

moved. Particularly is this so in
dry years. The soil absorbs the
food product much more quickly
when it is ground up for the food
decomposes quicker. It takes a
very wet soil to decompose the
kernel of a cotton seed so that it
will be absorbed thus stimulating
the plant.

The farmer, the seed buyer and
the oil-mill man should get closer
together. The property of each
depends upon the other. The
mill man is willing to pay as
much for seed as the sale of the
products will permit him to pay.
By buying the products the farm-
er increases the price of his own
seed. The understanding between
the two should be thorough; in
fact such an understanding as in-
telligent Alabama farmers and
manufacturers can have.

A Father's Vengeance.

Would have fallen on any one
who attacked the son of Peter
Bondy, of South Rockwood,
Mich., but he was powerless be-
fore attacks of Kidney trouble.
"Doctors could not help him," he
wrote, "so at last we gave him
Electric Bitters and he improved
wonderfully from taking six bot-
tles. Its best Kidney medi-
cine I ever saw." Backache,
Tired feeling, Nervousness, Loss
of Appetite, warn of Kidney
trouble that may end in dropsy,
diabetes or Bright's disease. Be-
ware! Take Electric Bitters and
be safe. Every bottle guaranteed.
50c at All Drug Stores.

UNDER BOND OF \$5,000.

Mrs. McRea Wept When Informed By

Counsel of Court's Order.

Mrs. Zeo Ring McRea, who has been
held in jail at Opelousas, La., since
September 21, when she shot and
killed young Allan Garland, has been
admitted to bail in the sum of \$5,000.

Mrs. McRea wept when informed by
John W. Lewis, one of her counsel, of
the court's order. She walked out of
the jail with her husband and went
directly to her home to greet her four
children. She will leave for Texas
with Mr. McRea, who is going to his
construction camp on the "Frisco" rail-
road, 20 miles west of Beaumont.

As soon as Judge Pavy had granted
Mrs. McRea's application for bail four
of her friends stepped forward and
signed the bond. They were Andrew
Morel, F. L. Sanders, F. Cliff Allen and
James M. Sanders.

It is expected that Judge Pavy will
order a special term of court to be
held early in December for the second
trial of Mrs. McRea.

SITUATION COMPLEX.

China Uprising Against Old Corrupt

Methods.

The situation in China is becoming
more complex, it is not more serious
every day. A weeks ago co-operation
was suspected between Yuan Shi Kai
and the national assembly. Later it
was believed Yuan Shi Kai could
reach an understanding with the Lan-
chao troops, headed by General Chan
Shao Tsun.

It is now evident, however, that all
elements—the throne, Yuan Shi Kai's
party, the national assembly, the
provincial assemblies, the southern
rebels and the northern army—have,
up to the present, no connection what-
ever. The whole movement is a spon-
taneous uprising against old corrupt
methods, and the fact that the for-
eigners have not been attacked indi-
cates that the desire for reforms is
sincere.

LOWER FREIGHT RATES.

Injunction Suit Against Lessees of

State Road.

The suit of the state of Georgia
against the N. C. & St. L. railroad to
force it to put in lower freight rates
on the Western and Atlantic between
Atlanta and Chattanooga will be filed
in the Fulton superior court within the
next few days by Attorney General
Felder and Judge J. K. Hines, special
counsel for the state railroad com-
mission.

It will take the form of a petition
for injunction, to enjoin the road from
enforcing the present higher rates,
and to require the road to put in the
specific rates insisted on by the state
under the lease contract.

Nugget in Chicken Crop.

A gold nugget of considerable size
is on exhibition at Seymour, Conn.,
having been found in the crop of a
chicken killed at a local restaurant.
Where the nugget came from is not
known.

Because of the criticism resulting
from his marrying Colonel John Jacob
Astor and Miss Force, at Newport, on
September 3, the Rev. Joseph Lan-
bert has resigned as pastor of the
Elmwood Temple (Congregational)
church of Providence, R. I. and will
leave the ministry to go into business.

Thousands of Other People Think So.

W. L. BARKER.

Money To Loan

ON COFFEE COUNTY FARMS

at 7-12 per cent interest.

3 to 10 years time. Small or large payments, as may suit

borrower. Liberal arrangements in case it is desired to pay

15 cent later etc

Money will be loaned on account of high price and general
development. A little later there will be a big rush for money.
As it takes a little time to get loans through, you had best
come on now

BRING ALL YOUR LAND PAPERS.

Riley & Carmichael,

Attorneys, Elba, Ala.

Money To Loan

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IMPROVED FARM LANDS.

We will lend you money on your improved

farm lands at a low rate of interest, on long

time payments, and easy terms. We make

the best contract of any Company in Alabama.

Don't fail to see us if you want cheap mon-
ey. Bring your deeds when you come to see us.

J. A. CARNLEY,

Attorney-at-Law,

Elba, Alabama.

ONE WAY OF SAVING

A BABY—FREE TO TRY

The mother does not live who

would not do all in her power to keep

her child healthy, but often she does

not know how. So when a doctor

of standing points the way all can

afford to listen.

It is an accepted fact that nine out

of ten of the troubles of infants and

children is intestinal. You notice it

by the fact that the child is consti-

pated, it belches, is peevish and cries.

Don't give a remedy that contains an

opiate, because the child will get in

the habit of needing it, and don't be

come alarmed and run at once for a

doctor.

Try a scientific laxative first. Give

a small dose of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup

Pepsin, the remedy that is intended

for the use of children. It is mild,

gentle and non-gripping. The remedy

is absolutely pure and is guaranteed

in every particular. Mrs. Hoomey of

Emingville, Pa., and Mrs. Fred

Croms of Alanson, Mich., never give

their children anything else. These

are only a few among thousands of

women.

You can buy a fifty cent or one

dollar bottle of any nearby druggist,

for they have all sold it for a gener-

ation, but if you want to test it on your

child first send your address to Dr.

Caldwell and he will cheerfully send

you a free sample bottle.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell,

402 Caldwell building, Monticello,

Ill.

Beattie's Last Hope Is

Dashed to Ground

Richmond, Va., Nov. 15—Gov-

ernor Mann today declined to in-

terfere in the case of Henry Beat-

tie, Jr. the young wife-murderer's

last hope of evading the electric

chair on Friday, November 21,

being swept away.

Attorneys for the condemned

man held their last conference

with the governor during the

morning and just before noon the

latter announced his intention not

to interfere in any way with the

decrees of the Chesterfield county

court, which was sustained by the

supreme court of appeals of the

state. Application had been pre-

sented to the governor praying for

a stay of at least 30 days for spiri-

tual preparation.

Gov. Hoke Smith Quits.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 14—U. S.

Senator-elect Hoke Smith, the

present Governor of Georgia, an-
nounced today that he would
formally tender his resignation as
chief executive of the State to-
morrow afternoon. On Thursday
morning Hon. John M. Slaton,
president of the State Senate, will
take the oath of office as Governor
protem, and serve until Governor
Smith's successor is elected.

There will be no formal cere-
mony connected either with Gov-
ernor Smith's departure or Gov-
ernor Slaton's accession.

Kin-Lax will take the place of

calomel.

City Drug Co.

Locals-Personals

Sheriff Stewart was here Wed-

nesday.

Hon. J. M. Young, of Enter-

prise, was here Monday.

LOST. One black overcoat, find-

er will please return to

B. F. Conner.

There were many people in Elba

Wednesday attending the Haag

Show.

We are glad to learn that Mr.

W. M. Rushing has recovered

from a severe attack of pneumo-

nia, and is back at home.

LOST—On show grounds Wed-

nesday night, gold ring with K.

of P. emblem, (F.O.B.) Return

to J. W. Blocker and receive re-

ward.

Starts Much Trouble.

If all people knew that neglect

of constipation would result in

severe indigestion, yellow jaun-

dice or virulent liver trouble they

would soon take Dr. King's New

Life Pills, and end it. Its the

only safe way. Best for bilious-

ness, headache, dyspepsia, chills

and debility. 25c at All Drug

Stores.

Notice of Appointment of

Administratrix.

Estate of) In the Probate Court of

Jacob F. Sanders, of Coffee County, Ala.

Deceased.) at Elba, Ala.

To Whom it may Concern:

Take notice that on the 27th day

of October, 1911, I was duly appointed Ad-

ministratrix of the estate of Jacob F.

Sanders, deceased, by the Probate Court

of Coffee County, Alabama, at Elba, and

all persons are hereby notified that claims

against said estate must be filed within

the time allowed by law, or that

the same will be forever barred.

Julia L. Sanders,

Administratrix.

Notice of Granting of Letters

of Administration.

Estate of R. N. Kil-) Probate Court of

coffee County, Ala.

Deceased.) at Elba, Ala.

Letters of administration upon the

estate of said deceased having been

granted to the undersigned on the 16th

day of October, 1911, by Honorable S. N.

O'Neal Demands Gov. Impeachment.

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page on life, with a new law firm, I am trying to fight life's battle, depending upon new clients and unimpaired conditions.

I took issue at all times with the accusers, most of the time when truth and righteousness were on their side, in return for my unflinching and loyal services, Emmet O'Neal, the ingrate, into whose economy no constituent element of true manhood enters, without evidence, on ex parte statements and traitors and slanderers, summarily dismisses me from office which I had never sought, and in the most inhuman and cruel manner publishes me to the world, exactly as to unfit and unclean, such as a common criminal. I say Emmet O'Neal is the most consummate scoundrel of the century, that he lives by teaching as the rat killer lives by poison.

Unidentified to Hold Office of Governor.

"Who is Emmet O'Neal? And what is he? I say he is a corruptionist. I say that he is a man who engages in corrupt practices, who is guilty of matters and dealings that disentitle him to longer hold the office to which he was clothed by an unsuspecting people. I charge that after he had appointed the Hon. Alex Walker of Lauderdale president of the state tax commission of Alabama without raising any objections to the manner in which he said Walker was discharging the duties of said office, he summarily removed him from office and appointed in his stead the Hon. J. Lee Long of Butler county. Mr. Long had recently been chairman of O'Neal's campaign committee and had charge of whatever campaign funds that had been disbursed in the primary election which nominated O'Neal.

"Mr. Long was also, at the time of his appointment to the office of chairman of the state tax commission, a member of the legislature which was then in session, and I charge that O'Neal removed Walker and appointed Long solely because he feared that Long would denounce him on the floor of the house of representatives and had threatened in his denunciation to tell the people of Alabama that O'Neal's nomination to the office of governor had been secured by a large fund contributed by the whiskey trust.

"I assert that Emmet O'Neal himself put me in possession of these facts and my advice to him at the time was, if Mr. Long carried out this threat that he, O'Neal, should appear upon the floor of the house of representatives, acknowledge the truth of Long's statement, and in his public speech thank the whiskey trust for the aid and comfort which it had given him and to rely upon the pardoning power of a generous public, but his cowardly and corrupt heart, weakened at the crucial moment, he preferring to sacrifice his friends, and like the ostrich hide his head in the sand, thereby thinking to deceive the people.

Regarding Purchase of Governor's Mansion.

"I charge that Emmet O'Neal, in connection with the purchase of the governor's mansion in the city of Montgomery, shows him to be a fakir and a fraud as well as a corruptionist. At the time of the above mentioned purchase O'Neal was a member of the commission created for the purpose of securing a governor's mansion for the people of Alabama. The governor's mansion, with its furnishings, was sold to the state by one Sabel. An inventory of the furnishings sold with the house, was submitted to O'Neal. Persian rugs costing \$1,800 apiece, O'Neal says, were among the furnishings.

"When the building was turned over to the present governor, he informed me that said Persian rugs, together with other furnishings aggregating many thousands of dollars in value, had been removed by said Sabel. O'Neal, apparently very indignant at the time, told me that the said Sabel was a damned thief, and that he had sent him word that unless he returned the rugs and other furnishings which he had stolen, he intended to have him indicted and put in the penitentiary. Has any one heard of Sabel's arrest, indictment and conviction? Has any one heard of any effort on the part of Emmet O'Neal to recover this valuable property, paid for with people's taxes, and justly belonging to the state?

"There is a rumor afloat that the governor dares not undertake to reclaim this property. If there is no truth in this rumor, why does Emmet O'Neal continue silent and inactive? I charge that Emmet O'Neal's connection with the recent campaign and election in Lauderdale county, where his efforts were put forth to establish the 'open saloon' in that county, shows him not only to be a corruptionist, but a disgrace to the high office which he now holds.

Collecting Funds For Lauderdale Fight.

"I charge that about a week or ten days prior to said election in Lauderdale county, Emmet O'Neal told me in his room at the Exchange hotel in the city of Montgomery, that he personally had solicited a donation of \$500 from a liquor dealer in Montgomery, to be used in the above mentioned campaign. That said liquor dealer brought the money to him, but before delivering it demanded, as a condition precedent, that O'Neal require the excise commission of Montgomery to grant license to sell intoxicating liquors to a certain party in a certain suburb to the city of Montgomery. I charge that upon being asked by me, 'What his reply to the said liquor dealer was?' he answered, 'I told him I would see him in hell before I would grant his request.' I charge that within a day or two after this conversation between O'Neal and myself, he took the whiskey man's money and the license in question was duly issued, but in my opinion the excise commissioners were unaware of O'Neal's corruption in the premises.

"I further charge that not being satisfied with this large sum of money, while en route to Florence from the city of Montgomery he carried by the way-side in Birmingham for a little while—just a few hours—and that while here he added to his bank roll hundreds of dollars which had been collected from liquor dealers in this city, and being thus fortified he invaded the sacred precincts of his native county of Lauderdale, wherein his life had been spent, wherein his children had been born and reared. He took with him to Lauderdale the Hon. J. F. Stallings, the Hon. L. F. Greer, the Hon. Thomas L. Long and others.

"These gentlemen, together with Emmet O'Neal, made public speeches throughout the county, and the people, by an overwhelming vote, rebuked and repudiated the governor, and he permitted these gentlemen above mentioned to return to their home without even paying their actual railroad fares and hotel bills. It is rumored that no appreciable amount of the large campaign fund which O'Neal took into Lauderdale county with him was ever spent in the campaign.

Challenges Him To Summon Legislature.

"I challenge you, Emmet O'Neal, as governor of the state of Alabama, to assemble the legislature at the capital in Montgomery at a time best suited for your mutual convenience that I may properly prepare and present to the house of representatives, for its consideration, articles of impeachment against Emmet O'Neal as governor of this state, and to the end that I may charge:

"1. Intemperate use of intoxicating liquors.

"2. Willful neglect of duty.

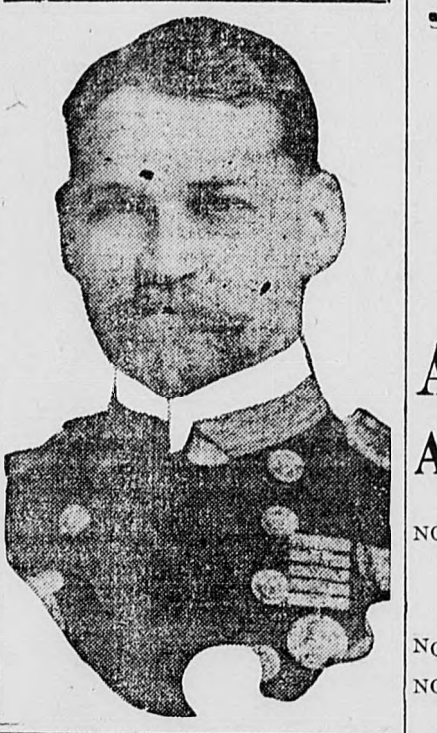
"3. You have been guilty of various and sundry corrupt practices.

"4. That by your intemperate habits, your neglect of duty and corrupt practices, you have disgraced the high office to which you were elected and you should be impeached and moved from office."

Saved Many From Death.

W. L. Mock, Ark., believes he has saved many lives in his 25 years of experience in the drug business. "What I always like to do," he writes, "is to recommend Dr. King's New Discovery for weak, sore lungs, hard colds, hoarseness, obstinate coughs, la grippe, croup, asthma or other bronchial affection, for I feel sure that a number of my neighbors are alive and well to-day because they took my advice to use it. I honestly believe it is the best throat and lung medicine that's made." Easy to prove he's right. Get a trial bottle free, or regular 50c or \$1.00 bottle. Guaranteed by All Drug Stores.

C. L. HUSSEY.
Lieutenant Commander on Duty on U. S. S. Indiana.



SWEPT BY TIDAL WAVE.

Chief Officer and Two Men of Steamer Captured From Deck Into Sea. The chief officer and two men of the Morgan line steamer Mimus were swept from the deck of the vessel by a tremendous wave on the voyage from New Orleans, completed at New York on Monday, and drowned. The victims are: A. T. Reese, chief officer; J. P. Serge, boatswain, and R. Nordberg, seaman.

The unusual tragedy occurred Friday afternoon off the coast of Florida, but it was not reported by Captain John S. Boyce until the Mimus arrived with her flag at half-mast. The great swell, described as one of tidal wave proportion, swept over the Mimus with a deluge like Niagara, and carried the three men overboard as if they had been corked. Before the life boat could be lowered the victims disappeared. There were twenty-five passengers aboard the ship and through the cabin windows many of them saw the men carried away.

WOMEN BREAK JAIL.

But Fat Girl Could Not Escape With Companions. Mandy McCall and Nettie Walls, two young girls confined temporarily in the county jail at Dalton, Ga., dug a tunnel through the brick wall and made good their escape. On account of the unfortunate rotundity of her style of architecture, Sarah Crow, a third girl, was unable to squeeze herself through the opening and had to stay behind.

VERMILYA CASE.

Woman Charged With Crime Formally Placed Under Arrest.

Mrs. Louise Vermilya, charged with the murder of Policeman Arthur Blissett, was formally placed under arrest at Chicago. A preliminary hearing was postponed to November 28, and a mandamus was ordered committing her to the county jail hospital. The hearing was held in Mrs. Vermilya's home, owing to her illness. Municipal Judge Walker and the court attaches all crowding into the little bedroom. She manifested little interest in the proceedings, languidly answering questions directed at her, and at other times mutely examining the faces of those about her.

"1. Intemperate use of intoxicating liquors.

"2. Willful neglect of duty.

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NOVEMBER 27th: W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Cup Race. Tiedman Trophy Race and The Savannah Challenge Trophy.

NOVEMBER 28th: Georgia-Auburn Football Game.

NOVEMBER 30th: Grand Prix Automobile Race.

Tickets on Sale: November 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th and for trains scheduled to reach Savannah before noon of November 30, 1911.

Final Limit: To reach original starting point returning not later than midnight of December 4th, 1911.

For further information in regard to rates, schedules, Pullman Car reservations, private car parties, etc., see your Ticket Agent or communicate with E. M. North, A. C. P. A., Savannah, Ga. B. T. Morgan, T. P. A., Savannah, Ga. L. P. Green, T. P. A., Thomasville, Ga.

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Ladies whose systems are poisoned and whose blood is in an impure condition due to menstrual irregularities, are peculiarly benefited by the wonderful tonic and blood cleansing properties of P. P. P., Prickly Ash, Fok Root and Potassium.

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FOR SALE BY CITY DRUG COMPANY.

Order of Publication. The State of Alabama, in Chancery at Coffee County, Enterprise, Ala. Eleventh District, Southeastern Chancery Division.

W. E. Coffield Complainant, vs. Clara N. Coffield, Defendant.

In this case it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of J. M. Hickman that the Defendant, Clara N. Coffield, resides somewhere in the State of Pennsylvania, the exact place being unknown to the affiant. That she is a non-resident of Alabama and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant, Clara N. Coffield is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Elba Clipper a newspaper published in Elba, Coffee County Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring Clara N. Coffield, the said Defendant to plead answer or demur to the bill of complaint in this case, by the 10th day of December 1911, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso will be taken against her in said cause.

Done at office, in Enterprise, Alabama, this 5th day of November 1911.

M. A. Owen, Register in Chancery.

5 or 6 doses "066" will cure any Case of Chills and Fever. Price 25c.

Kin-Lax will take the place of calomel. City Drug Co.

Order For Publication. The State of Alabama, in Chancery at Coffee County, Elba, Alabama. Eleventh District, South-eastern Chancery Division.

Annie Fuller, complainant vs. Murphree Fuller, defendant.

In this case it is made to appear to the Register, by the affidavit of J. M. Hickman that the Defendant, Murphree Fuller is a non-resident of the State of Alabama and resides somewhere in the State of Georgia, the exact place of residence being unknown to the affiant, and further, that, in the belief of said affiant, the Defendant, Murphree Fuller is over the age of twenty-one years.

It is therefore ordered by the Register that publication be made in the Elba Clipper a newspaper published in Elba, Coffee County Alabama, once a week for four consecutive weeks, requiring him the said Murphree Fuller to plead answer or demur to the bill of Complaint in this case, by the 12th day of Dec. 1911, or in thirty days thereafter a decree pro confesso will be taken against him in said cause.

Done at office in Elba, Alabama, this 12th day of Oct. 1911.

M. A. Owen, Register in Chancery.

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TWICE-A-WEEK. ONE DOLLAR A YEAR. No 44

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Brooke Demands Explanation and Bowman Replies.

The following is an open letter from H. Y. Brooke, State Examiner of Public Accounts, calling on Peyton G. Bowman, calling his utterances in reference to conviction and sentence for libel. Bowman replies to this letter.

"November 16, 1911.

"An Open Letter to Col. P. G. Bowman:

"Sir—Assuming that it was not your intention to mislead the public in your statement as to the undersigned, I call your attention to your utterances on the night of Tuesday, November 14, 1911, as printed in all the daily papers of Birmingham, in which you used the following language: 'One H. Y. Brooke a man tried, convicted and sentenced by an Alabama court to a term of imprisonment for slander and libel.' 'You can find the full facts concerning this case in the 154th Alabama Reports, page 52.

"Should you fail to make correction by Monday I will be forced to take the public into my confidence and narrate the facts concerning this case elsewhere.

"Yours, etc., 'H. Y. BROOKE.'"

Colonel Bowman is quoted as saying:

"For Mr. Brooke's information I will say that I got my information from a member of the Birmingham bar, who defended Mr. Brooke. But if I have done Mr. Brooke an injustice I will be glad to repair it."

"I notice his threat that if I do not make the correction by Monday he will be forced to take the public into his confidence and narrate the facts concerning the cause elsewhere.

"I do not know whether he means by 'cause elsewhere' his own case or the one pending against him, but if he has reference to mine, he has my permission to take the public into his confidence and tell what he knows about it. I seek by threats to get a retraction from me he is at liberty to take the public into his full confidence so far as I am concerned."

Elba's Church Life.

There is perhaps no town in Alabama of Elba's size and population which has abler ministers and more preaching services than has Elba. With a population of a little over 1000, the town has four churches, namely, Methodist, Presbyterian, Missionary Baptist and Primitive Baptist. Two of these churches have preaching services twice a month, one four times a month, and the fourth seven times a month. Taking them all together, we have 180 sermons a year, besides extra revival services that are held every year.

But there is a sad feature about this. With all these opportunities for hearing the gospel there are so many persons in Elba who do not seem to realize the necessity or advantage of church attendance. They are not so bad, yet they say to their neighbors and friends and children and relatives that there is nothing in religion and church going. They exert an influence that is atheistic and poisonous. They are stumbling blocks in the way of those who might be inclined to live right. And some of these persons are fathers and mothers and their children are already withering under their blighting influence. Are they for religion? No. Are they against churches? Yes. It is a sad commentary, but there are some people in Elba who never go to church at all. Something is badly wrong.

Friend of Blind Tiger.

Richmond, Va., Nov. 17.—The federal government through the operation of its statutes was pictured as the friend of the blind tiger and the liquor interests against prohibition by Judge William H. Thomas, of Montgomery, in an address delivered here last night on "The Prohibition Movement in the South."

With the conclusion of the address and discussions on franchise education and police and liquor problems, the seventeenth annual meeting of the National Municipal League and nineteenth National Conference for City Good government came to a close. Los Angeles invited the convention to meet there next year, but the meeting place was left to the executive council to name.

"The practical effect of the United States revenue statutes, interstate commerce laws, and the use of the mails," said Judge Thomas, "is to make the government the friend and conductor of the blind tiger, the brewer and the distiller in defeating the will of the people by granting federal licenses to whomsoever will pay to go into any prohibition state and violate the law. If the government refused such licenses in prohibition territory, a large percent of illicit liquor selling could be substantially abolished."

The address of Judge Thomas was decidedly illuminating.

Immediate Causes.

The immediate cause of the prohibition movement throughout the south, he said, were:

First—Rising conscience due to advanced education.

Second—The demand of the business world for sober men.

Third—The boldness and lawlessness of the liquor traffic.

Fourth—The increasing menace to the white population from the drinking by the negro race of alcoholic liquors, and the manner in which those engaged in its sale were debauching them.

After setting forth the above causes, the jurist went at length into the movement, giving figures from each of the southern states. He came to the conclusion in his address that prohibition does prohibit, and that its permanent results are:

The Permanent Results.

"1.—The first permanent result, then, of the prohibition agitation and elections though direct ends desired were not fully accomplished, yet its incalculable service has been to awaken the people to the power of the franchise and their corresponding responsibility. The strength of the democratic party has tended to cause the average southern voter to regard political issues as settled, and when he has voted for his man at the primary, has only to look to the next choice of the man in the election. Agitation of the questions of the excise, being largely waged by manhood that has no other motive than the desire to improve the welfare of humanity, has had a wonderfully educative value. It has built up the moral fibre of the individual on both sides of the question. Each generation must be educated and mau by man they must be saved. It cannot be done in masses. A constitution cannot make men temperate. It can be done only by constant teaching and preaching, year after year to individuals. Therefore recurring temperance campaigns are necessary to carry conviction to the generation coming to manhood and to the franchise. This is a benefit much to be desired, and that may be lost, if each succeeding generation of voters has no part in declaring the rule of conduct by which it and its children must live.

"Each side is learning that the other has a decided opinion on the liquor traffic. The barkeepers themselves admit that the old methods of dispensing liquors are changed for the better. Has not the saloon been the place of attack in the moral revolution now going forward in this country and making for that homogeneity so necessary in the ruling class?

"2.—The second permanent result is that there has been raised as a problem for the future, 'The Urban vs. The Rural Idea.' Some contend that the country is to be the salvation of the city, and with great show of truth. When the sentiment of prohibition has driven the sale of liquor from the country into cities, there is conflict of authority if the rural undertakes to disregard the local interests of the municipality. The latter being a strong mixture of many kinds of artificial and natural persons, the system of allied interests can be readily formed for the protection of joint interests. The spirit of the city is therefore largely commercial as against a high degree of rural morality. A right appreciation of these two different influences in a democratic state must be had. 'Democracy means self-government.' Self-government means that the people of each locality are to determine those questions which concern only, or chiefly, that locality. The people of the state, those things which concern only, or chiefly, the state; and the people of the county, those things which concern the county at large. Does then, the excise concern chiefly the people of the locality? These are questions that the people will settle for themselves.

"Local option has high authority as being the course of human events from the Exodus account of God's giving the Ten Commandments to Moses for the government of the people. It was only after they had declared on the question when 'all the people answered together' and after 'Moses returned the words of the people unto the Lord,' that he assumed the office of law given and proclaimed the law. Exodus xix 8-10.

"3.—A third permanent result is that this agitation has raised for settlement the question how far it is the duty of the United States to regard the will of the state when that will has been lawfully declared.

"It required a long time for men to extend the area of local option from the community up to the county then to the whole state, and a much longer time will be necessary to extend the area to the nation if indeed, this is ever accomplished."

Run-away Marriage.

Saturday night Mr. Herbert Bowman and Miss Rana Maddox, who were married last year, returned home Sunday morning. Miss Maddox is the 14 year old daughter of Mr. M. C. Maddox residing on Smith Avenue, in Elba, and Mr. Bowman is the son of Mr. Henry Bowman living three miles north of Elba.

May prosperity and happiness be their portion.

Unless something is done quickly now, Henry Beattie will die in the electric chair Friday for wife murder.

Hon. H. D. Clayton has gone to Washington to get his important work in shape for the coming session of Congress. He is accompanied by Mrs. Clayton who is a favorite in Washington society.—Bullock County Breeze.

Negro Minister Tried For Disturbing Religious Worship.

A rather unusual case came before Justice Ham, of Elba Justice court last Monday. A negro preacher was prosecuted for disturbing religious services at a colored people's church in west Coffee last July.

The testimony showed that while the preacher was engaged in the services a negro lad took the preacher's horse and buggy used it about two hours, finally returning and running over a log and crushing the wheel of the buggy. The preacher, a robust fellow, proceeded to administer a flogging and knocked the boy down with his fist. That, however did not satisfy the youthful sinner, and he soon advanced upon the preacher with his knife when the preacher resorted to harsher means and frained him over the head with a chair. The preacher was acquitted by the court.

The Modern Father.

The Rev. Wm. B. Millard, of Chicago, recently delivered a sermon on the modern father and set forth ten commandments which the head of the house should follow. The commandments if followed will make an ideal father. The commandments are as follows:

1. Thou shalt have no woman except thy wife.

2. Thou shalt not neglect thy house for lodge, or club, or fraternity, or saloon, or any other meeting place or any kind whatsoever.

3. Thou shalt not be a gallant in society, a diplomat in business, and an autocrat at home.

4. Thou shalt not compel thy wife to do for every needful penny; neither shalt thou dole out the same like a sour faced charity.

5. Thou shalt not allow thy wife to become a household drudge, enslaved by cook stove, broom and babies.

6. Thou shalt not smoke 10-cent cigars and wear silk socks while thy wife wears last year's hat and thy sons wear hand-made trousers.

7. Thou shalt not quaff the flaming bowl, sit in at poker, or play the races, on pain of thy son's damnation.

8. Thou shalt not neglect needful discipline, lest thy sons and thy daughters stray into crooked paths; neither shalt thou be a harsh and hard handed tyrant, lest thy children despise thee and thy teachings.

9. Thou shalt not neglect the education of thy children in order that they, with immature strength and unprepared minds, may help thee bear the burden of support.

10. Thou shalt not farm out the religious training of thy children to any minister, Sunday school teacher, religious zealot of any kind, or even to thy mother. Thou thyself shalt instruct them in righteousness and shalt lead them in the path which growth brighter and brighter into the perfect day.

The father who follows these rules will be the best man in the country, but there is no reason why he should not.

Every community should observe Thanksgiving Day November 30th. It would be a good thing for the people to come together and join in recounting the manifold blessings received and render thanks for the same to the Giver of all good things. Schools should have regular programs for celebrating the day.

Two Confederate Flags.

That old battle-carried banner was once a glorious flag. But it followed Little Joe Wheeler four years. And now, fifty years after, this tattered remnant is only symbolic of the gray remnant of the most glorious army that ever marched to martial music.

Although shot to pieces, and as a battle flag, forever faded, wrapped in its ragged folds are tender, sacred memories. It represented a principle for which brave men fought, suffered and died.

It is the flag of the Old South. Born amidst the throes of a terrible conflict, nurtured by the blood of heroes shed on a hundred battle fields and baptised in the tears of a stricken people, it went down as pure and spotless as the snow flake that falls upon the bosom of a shining river. And those who bore it then, and love it now, secure in the knowledge of their position of right, justice and truth, bear no enmity toward any section, and every other star on the flag of the Union is as dear to them as the one that represents their native state. Loyal to the Union, with an undying love for the memories of a lost cause.

This beautiful new flag represents a new generation of the old south. Into it's bright, golden folds will be transferred the cherished memories of the old one. And I, this day pledge to you for your sons and daughters this covenant: This bronze tablet may fade, and the marble shaft crumble to dust, but when nothing of the old flag remains, and the last of the gray heroes have answered the Roll Call up yonder, they will gather their children around this other flag, made by their loving hands, and tell them of the glorious deeds of the bravest men that ever fought for a righteous principle.

Pours out Whiskey.

Deputy Sheriff C. R. Davis on yesterday poured into Beaver Dam creek 200 quarts of Hayner rye which were taken from a dry sum time ago and condemned as unlawful goods ordered confiscated. No one claimed this liquor.

He also emptied into the creek 14 pints of Athletic Club which were taken from Mr. Bigs Shiver some time ago. The dilution of the blind tiger dispensary alcohol by pouring it into the creek would be a good thing for Elba.

"Turbulence, Tyranny, or Uncertainty of Democracy."

In Gov. Emmet O'Neal speech last week in New York, before the Chamber of Commerce, speaking against the initiative and referendum, he used the expression: "The turbulence, tyranny, or uncertainty of democracy." Although he claims to be a good democrat and an ardent advocate of "local option," yet he goes to New York and in the presence of the "big interests" declares against democratic government, and argues against a representative democracy.

It is the first time we have heard a democracy styled a "tyranny." We have heard of the tyrannical rule of kings and monarchs, but never before a "tyranny" of the people. In Alabama we believe in a government of, by, and for the people, and we have never known such a government to be turbulent, tyrannical or uncertain. The Jeffersonian democracy was the father of this government, and has never become a "tyranny" and never will become a tyranny as long as democracy rules.